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PROJECT OUTLINE

CRYPTONYM: AEGAEIA

HEADQUARTERS CASE OFFICER:

AREA DIVISION: SR

J-1514, Ext. 8054

STATION: Berlin Operations Base

1 April 1955

The attached Project Outline, revised and amended, is presented for renewal.

DATE 15 Apr. 1955

for Chief, SR

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PART I

CRYPTONYM: ANCARRETA

PERIOD COVERED: 1 April 1955 through 31 March 1956

1. AREA OF OPERATIONS:

Germany (Soviet Zone); Berlin Operations Base.

2. PURPOSE:

To initiate and implement REDCAP operations in Soviet occupied Germany which result from the distribution of ALVINGEL propaganda. To support other BOB REDCAP operations where the ALVINGEL name may be used effectively.

3. REFERENCES:

Project ALVINGEL
EGNA 6106, 14672 and 17467
ANCARRETA Project Outline dated 3 October 1953 and subsequent amendments and extensions.

4. BACKGROUND:

The ANCARRETA Project was initiated in order to exploit operationally the contacts resulting from ALPARR/ALVINGEL propaganda distribution. In May 1953 the ANCARRETA Office was established in West Berlin. This office has attracted to it hundreds of West German residents employed by the Soviets or who have varying degrees of contact with Soviet personnel. These people are debriefed and information is thereby obtained concerning the morale, attitudes, and activities of Soviet personnel stationed in Germany. In addition, positive intelligence data concerning Soviet installations and military organizations and movements are gathered. Many of the people who visit the ANCARRETA Office carry back propaganda to pass on to specific Soviets of their acquaintance or are persuaded to disseminate leaflets to Soviet personnel in the areas where they reside or are employed. In November 1954 the ANCARRETA Office was burglarized and some ANCARRETA files stolen. []'s life was later threatened by an anonymous phone call and letter. Though the minor operational damage brought about by the loss of the ANCARRETA documents was quickly repaired, greater security provisions

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with respect to the physical security of [] and his wife had to be undertaken. The AMCARBIA Office currently has about 60 contacts monthly and has developed into a highly workable tool for the implementation of REDCAP objectives. The activities of this office, furthermore, have strengthened the reputation of AEVIGIL as an active fighting group of anti-Communist Soviet refugees thereby adding to AEVIGIL's political prestige.

5. OBJECTIVES:

Operating under the name of AEVIGIL in Berlin:

A. To induce defection (both physical and in place) among Soviet personnel in East Germany and to support other BOB REDCAP operations.

B. To promote general anti-Communist ideas among Soviet personnel in Germany.

C. To gather political and military intelligence on Soviet installations, troops and personnel. To gather data concerning the morale and attitudes of SOFG and Soviet civilian personnel.

6. TARGETS:

Soviet personnel in East Germany and East Germans in contact with them.

7. TASKS:

A. To receive, debrief, and assess visitors who, having received AMCARBIA propaganda, come to the office on their own initiative to supply information on REDCAP leads or to aid the anti-Communist cause.

B. To arrange for contact between leads so developed and REDCAP operational personnel of Berlin Operations Base.

8. PERSONNEL:

A. [] J, contract agent employed by KUBARK since 1951, as case officer.

B. [] J, a 56-year old Russian born German citizen residing in West Berlin as a political refugee, thoroughly bi-lingual in Russian and German. Although [] has no previous intelligence training, he has developed to be the most suitable agent for the job of debriefing German contacts of the AMCARBIA Office. He is cautious, security conscious, a slow but methodical debriefer, sober and factual reporter and inspires confidence to low and medium level contacts.

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C. []'s wife, a German national, no intelligence background but none required for the clerical type of work which she performs on a part-time basis.

D. [] (formerly []), to be hired as chauffeur and body-guard for []. [] was used for an LCI.P.O.T.E project by BOB and distinguished himself by courageous although low level activities. A former Soviet Zone resident, he was recently re-settled in West Berlin.

(no attached amendment memo) ~~one~~
E. Additional Principal Agent -- we have no specific candidate in mind for this job although the pressure of the AFCA/PTFA Office makes it absolutely essential that we acquire a person as soon as possible. Appropriate clearances will be obtained.

9. RELATIONS:

- A. [], OC #5750, 24 Apr 53.
- B. [], OC #6615, 12 Aug 53.
- C. [], OC #17723, 21 Jun 54.
- D. [], OC #7632, 7 Jan 54 (for [] Project). Specific clearance for AFCA/PTFA is being sought.

10. COVER:

- A. [] -- Department of the Army civilian employee.
- B. [] to [] -- unspecified U.S. intelligence service.
- C. [] and [] in performing operational tasks -- AEVERGIL.

11. CONTACT AND COMMUNICATIONS:

- A. between [] and [] -- by telephone to and from AEVERGIL and []'s office; meetings in safe houses.
- B. With informants -- at the AEVERGIL office, initially; afterwards, in many instances, clandestine meetings taking place at previously agreed upon rendezvous points.

12. CONTROL AND MOTIVATION:

- A. The Principal Agent, [], has strong ideological motivation. A material factor, although secondary, is that we provided [] with a steady job and salary after a protracted period of unemployment.

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B. [] is motivated primarily by personal loyalty to [] as well as ideological factors.

C. In the case of [], ideological motivation is extremely strong, but in addition, [] is grateful for the opportunity given to him to resettle and for a job providing him with a living wage.

13. EQUIPMENT AND OTHER SUPPORT:

A. No communications equipment will be needed. It is planned, however, to acquire a concealed photographic camera to take pictures of various visitors to the AMEMB Office, among whom are numerous provocation agents sent in by the opposition.

B. Because of the large increase of contacts coming to the AMEMB Office, it is necessary that [] be provided with an adequate means of transportation in order to keep the large number of meetings set up in areas outside of the office. In addition, [], who is a rather exposed figure because of his overt association with the AMEMB Office, has to date been entirely dependent on public means of transportation and taxis, which expose him to physical danger and possible abductions. It is felt that []'s security, as well as his efficiency, could be manifoldly increased by provision of a private vehicle.

14. COORDINATION:

A. In the field -- between the AMEMB case officer in Munich, and [], Chief of REDCAP in Berlin.

B. At Headquarters -- IE Division.

15. TIETABLE:

Since this project is a renewal, no date of activation can be given. The services of [] and [] will be necessary as long as REDCAP activities are carried out under AMEMB/AMEMB. []'s services will be required for protection of [] as well as to perform minor support tasks on behalf of the AMEMB Office.

Because of the expanding load borne by the AMEMB Office and the emphasis placed on the operation by BOB, the services of another principal agent of []'s calibre will be sought in order to debrief and thoroughly follow the leads obtained therefrom. Various candidates are currently being screened. When a suitable person is found, an individual timetable will be recommended for this individual depending on load of work, operational requirements, and performance.

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PART II

15. ESTIMATED COST:

Salaries:

<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,430.00
Additional Principal Agent	1,300.00
<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	430.00
<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	1,000.00

Bonuses and Benefits:

For special assignments performed by <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	120.00
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Security Expenses:

In view of the increased risks and hazards involved in ☐ ☐s and possibly in the second principal agent's work, the following amount must be provided to cover security expenses (moves from one above to another, acquisition of protective means, etc.)

	250.00
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Operational Expenses:

a. Office rent and maintenance	450.00
b. Telephone and mailing expenses	290.00
c. Automobile maintenance	600.00
d. Office supplies and subscriptions	115.00
e. Payments to sub-agents and contacts (defection inducement operations and intelligence gathering)	2,850.00
f. Propaganda distribution operations	1,815.00

Technical Equipment:

Concealed photographic camera and film	137.00
Automobile	1,500.00

TOTAL \$12,847.00

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16. SPECIAL PROBLEMS AND COMMITMENTS:

A. No special commitments have been made to either [] or [], but it is felt that []'s reliable and courageous performance on two occasions and the almost constant danger of abduction involved in his daily work require that such commitments be made at this time.

B. In case of any violence committed by the opposition against [] (serious physical injuries, death or abduction) and resulting in a protracted lack of earnings for [] or [], compensation in the amount of \$1,200.00 is to be paid to [] either in a lump sum or in such amounts which will be agreed upon between this organization and [].

C. The change of political conditions in West Germany and West Berlin may affect adversely the implementation of the project only in the same degree as it will affect the entire AEWINGAL operations. The fact that [], [], and [] are German citizens is a favorable factor.

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1. SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT (08 and 09)

Nomenclature	Str.	Unit Price	Qty.	08	09	Total	Fiscal Year
CAMERA, Minox, 8.5mm., still, 50 exposures (5/6720-003-0211)	5	\$ 94.15	1 ea		\$ 94.15	\$ 94.15	1955
EXPOSURE METER, Minox, photographic, with case (5/6750-003-7175)	5	23.50	1 ea		23.50	23.50	1955
FILM, Minox, 8mm., 50 exposures, ASA 40 (5/6750-003-0500)	5	1.93	10 rl	\$19.30		19.30	1955
MAILING EXPENSES	NA	1.00	\$	10.00 65.00		10.00 65.00	1955 1956
VEHICLE, Passenger, foreign	5	1,500.00	1 ea		1,500.00	1,500.00	1955
MAINTENANCE for Vehicle (\$50 per month)	5	50.00	2 mo 10 mo	100.00 500.00		100.00 500.00	1955 1956
OFFICE SUPPLIES AND SUBSCRIPTIONS	NA	1.00	\$	20.00 95.00		20.00 95.00	1955 1956
EE Division Total				\$149.30	\$1,617.65	\$1,776.95	1955
SR Division Total				660.00	0.00	660.00	1956
TOTAL 08 and 09				\$809.30	\$1,617.65	\$2,426.95	

2. FACILITIES (05)

SAFEHOUSE, including maintenance and utilities (\$55 per month)	\$55.00	2 mo	\$ 110.00	1955
approx 55.00	10 mo	550.00	1956	
TOTAL 05			\$ 660.00	
TOTAL Project Costs (05, 08, 09) OFFSHORE			\$3,091.95	

EE Division will assume the funding for all materiel and facilities for the remainder of Fiscal Year 1955; SR Division will assume the funding for all materiel and facilities for Fiscal Year 1956.

Logistics Liaison Officer

Chief, SR/Logistics

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